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FALL
PROGRAM
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The Early Bird....

Catch the migration wave of feathered fauna .

Binoculars and birding guide suggested.

Sat. , September 14 , 7:00 am

Meet : Geo. Wright Golf Course parking lot , off West St. , Hyde Park

Sat. , September 21 , 7:00 am

Meet : Jamaica Pond Boathouse

Sat. , September 28 , 7:00 am

*Meet : Sears Bldg.,
(at intersection of Brookline Ave. & the Riverway)*

Living Landscapes

Explore the " Jewel " of Boston's famous Emerald Necklace park system, and find out why it is considered one of Frederick Law Olmsted's landscape masterpieces.

Sunday, September 15 , 2:00 pm

Meet : Franklin Park Zoo entrance



The Park at Post Office Square

Visit one of Boston's newest public parks and learn about its design , history and development.

Sun. , September 22 , 2:00 pm

Meet : Milk St. Cafe , Corner of Franklin & Congress Sts.



Boston's Botanical Beauty

Walk and talk with a ranger to learn about the history and horticulture of the Public Garden, the oldest public botanical garden in the United States.

Sunday , September 29 , 2:00 pm

Meet : Corner of Charles & Beacon Sts.

Everything in Common

Discover why the nation's oldest park is the most popular and celebrated greenspace in the Hub.

Saturday , September 28 , 2:00 pm

Meet : Boston Common Ranger Station

Romancing the Stone

Enjoy an early evening stroll amongst the stately elms and architecture on Commonwealth Ave. Mall, a 19th century Parisian-style boulevard in the heart of Boston's Back Bay.

Sunday , October 6 , 2:00 pm

*Meet : Corner of Arlington St. and
Commonwealth Ave.*



Boston Black Heritage

Enjoy a tour of the Granary Burial Ground and the Boston Common to learn about famous black Bostonians such as Crispus Attucks, the famed 54th Regiment, and much more.

Sunday , October 20 , 2:00 pm

Meet : Boston Common Ranger Station

An Arboretum Autumn

Join us for our 4th annual fall foliage celebration . The Arnold Arboretum, a world-renowned tree museum that covers 265 acres, offers Boston's best display of fall colors. Park Rangers will lead regular tours of the Arboretum, the Horse of Course program, and numerous activities for children.

Saturday , October 19 and

Sunday , October 20

12 Noon - 4:00 pm

Meet : Hunnewell Visitor Center

In addition to standard programs, the following programs are available by appointment :

Nurturing Nature

(recommended for ages 2-6)

Make Way For Ducklings

(recommended for ages 2-6)

Fishing Fundamentals

(recommended for ages 6 and up)

Urban Animal Adventures

Pond Explorations

Rolling Stones Field Geology

Horse of Course

The Emerald Necklace Slide Show

Map and Compass

(recommended for ages 12-18)

The Great Park Debate

(recommended for ages 12-18)



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Haunt Jaunts

Enjoy a "spirited" look at some of Boston's historic burying grounds, with various children's activities and tours. Kids and costumes welcome !

Eliot Burying Ground

Mon. , October 28 , 3:30 - 5:00 pm

Meet : Corner of Washington & Eustace Sts. , Roxbury

Phipps St. Burying Ground

Tues. , October 29 , 3:30 - 5:00 pm

Meet : Corner of Main & School Sts. , Charlestown

Westerly Burying Ground

Wed. , October 30 , 3:30 - 5:00 pm

Meet : Corner of La Grange & Centre Sts. , West Roxbury

Market St. Burying Ground

Thurs. , October 31 , 3:30 - 5:00 pm

Meet : Corner of Washington & Market Sts. , Brighton

The Emerald Necklace and the Milky Way

Bike or Hike the Emerald Necklace

On foot or on bicycle, explore the seven mile stretch of Boston's famous park system. Along the way, We'll discuss various historical and natural features of the parks.

Hike : Sat. , Sept. 7 , 10 am - 4 pm

Bike : Sun. , Oct. 6 , 12 pm - 4 pm

Hike : Sat. , Nov. 9 , 10 am - 4 pm

Meet : Boston Common Ranger Station



Stargazing

View the galaxy from one of Boston's highest natural peaks, Peter's Hill in the Arnold Arboretum.

Friday , September 13 , 7:00 pm

Tuesday , October 8 , 7:00 pm

Friday , October 11 , 7:00 pm

Meet : Hunnewell Visitor Center



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The Boston Park Rangers offer environmental education programs, nature and history walks, and slide presentations by appointment, for individuals, children, teens, adults, and seniors, as well as school groups, daycare centers, community and non-profit organizations.

All programs are free of charge. Interpreters and auxiliary aids are available upon request with advance notice. Call 522-2639 to schedule a program, or for more information. To receive the Boston Park Ranger seasonal schedule, call or write :

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